

**AN ANNOTATED LIST OF THE LYCAENIDAE
(LEPIDOPTERA: RHOPALOCERA) OF THE
WESTERN HEMISPHERE**

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sternitzkyi Field, William D., *Lycaena dorcas* race *florus*

Type Locality: Broadwater County, Montana, July 30, 1930.

Location of Type: W. D. Field Collection, Lawrence, Kansas. (United States National Museum?)

Original Description: 1936, Jour. Ent. Zool. Pomona College, vol. 28, p. 26 (Claremont, Calif.).

Additional Reference: McDunnough, J. H., 1938, Check list, pt. 1, p. 26, no. 432 (Los Angeles, Calif.). (Places the name as *Lycaena helloides florus* form ♀ *sternitzkyi* Field.)

stictos Draudt, Max, *Thecla* (not Druce) Misspelling of *stiktos* Druce

Type Locality:

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1919 (December), The Macrolepidoptera of the World, vol. 5, p. 764, pl. 151-a (Stuttgart).

stigmatos Druce, Hamilton H., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Interior of Colombia.

Location of Type: Druce Collection (♂).

Original Description: 1890, Ent. Mo. Mag., Series 2, vol. 1, p. 152 (London).

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 584, pl. 34, fig. 2 ♂ (London).

stiktos Druce, Hamilton H., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Interior of Colombia.

Location of Type: Druce Collection (♂).

Original Description: 1890, Ent. Mo. Mag., Series 2, vol. 1, p. 151 (London).

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 584, pl. 34, fig. 1 ♂ (type) (London).

Synonyms: *stictos* Draudt.

stilbia Hewitson, W. C., *Thecla*

Type Locality:

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1867, Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera, vol. 1, p. 107, vol. 2, pl. 39, fig. 127 ♂ (London).

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), Proc. Zool. Soc. London, p. 603 (London). (Says that specimens from Espiritu Santo, Brazil agree with the type in the British Museum.)

strenua Hewitson, W. C., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Brazil.

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1877 (January), *Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera*, vol. 1, p. 207, pl. 82, figs. 689, 690 ♀ (London).

strephon Fabricius, Johann Christian, *Papilio*

Type Locality: "In India Orientali."

Location of Type: Banksian Collection, British Museum.

Original Description: 1775, *Systema Entomologiae*, p. 522 (Flensburgi).

Additional References: Butler, A. G., 1869, *Catalogue of Diurnal Lepidoptera Described by Fabricius in the Collection of the British Museum*, p. 186 (London). Lathy, P. I., 1926, *Ann. Mag. Nat. Hist., Series 9*, vol. 17, p. 44 (London).

Synonyms: *sicheus* Cramer, *sichaeus* Kirby syn.

Subspecies: *occidentalis* Lathy.

striata Edwards, William H., *Lycaena*

Type Locality: San Antonio, Texas.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1877 (November), *Field and Forest*, vol. 3, p. 88 (Washington, D. C.).

Additional Reference: Comstock, W. P. and E. I. Huntington, 1943 (December), *Ann. New York Acad. Sci.*, vol. 45, p. 90 (New York). (Make *striata* a subspecies of *cassius* Cramer.)

strigosa Harris, Thaddeus William, *Thecla*

Type Locality: Blue Hill, Massachusetts, August 1.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1862 (February), *in* Morris, *Synopsis of the Lepidoptera of North America*, *Smithsonian Misc. Coll.*, p. 101 (Washington, D. C.).

Additional References: Harris, T. W., 1862, *A Treatise on some of the insects of New England which are injurious to vegetation* (Flint Edition), p. 276 (Boston, Mass.). Michener, C. D. and C. F. dos Passos, 1942 (November), *Amer. Mus. Novitates*, no. 1210, p. 3, (New York, N. Y.).

Synonyms: *pruina* Seudder.

Subspecies: *aliparops* Michener and dos Passos, *fletcheri* Michener and dos Passos, *liparops* Fletcher syn.

strophius Godart, Jean B., *Polyommatus*

Type Locality: Brazil.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1821, *Encyclopédie Méthodique*, vol. 9, p. 632 (Paris).

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), *Proc. Zool. Soc. London*, p. 568 (London). (Did not recognize the species.)

suada Hewitson, W. C., *Thecla*

Type Locality: Bolivia.

Location of Type: British Museum (Natural History).

Original Description: 1877 (January), *Illus. of Diurnal Lepidoptera*, vol. 1, p. 207, vol. 2, pl. 82, figs. 691, 692 ♂ (London). (Hewitson makes *suada* a synonym of *ceromia* Hewitson which we believe to be incorrect.)

Additional Reference: Druce, H. H., 1907 (June), *Proc. Zool. Soc. London*, p. 264 (London). (Accepts Hewitson's synonymy and says "the types are more alike than his figures.")

suasa Boisduval, Jean A., *Lycaena*

Type Locality: Mountains of eastern California.

Location of Type: United States National Museum?

Original Description: 1869, *Ann. Soc. Ent. Belgique*, vol. 12, p. 51 (Bruxelles).

Additional Reference: Oberthür, Charles, 1913 (October), *Etudes de Lepidopterologie Comparée*, fasc. 9, pt. 1, p. 43, p. 240, fig. 2080 ♂ (Rennes).

Note: *Suasa* is considered to be a synonym of *fuliginosa* Edwards.

subarcticus Chermock, F. H., *Plebeius scudderi*

Type Locality: Fairchild Point, Great Slave Lake, N. W. T., Canada, July 22, 1927.

Location of Type: Author's Collection.

Original Description: 1944 (November), *Can. Ent.*, vol. 76, p. 213 (Guelph, Ont.).

subflorens Schaus, William, *Thecla*

Type Locality: Poas, Costa Rica.

Location of Type:

Original Description: 1913 (September), *Proc. Zool. Soc. London*, p. 353, pl. 52, fig. 9 ♂ (London).

sublivens Nabokov, V., *Lycaeides argyrognomon*

Type Locality: Telluride, San Miguel Mountains, S. W. Colorado, 10,000-12,000 ft., July 28-30, 1902.

Location of Type: Museum of Comparative Zoology.

Original Description: 1949 (February), *Bull. Mus. Comp. Zool.*, vol. 101, no. 4, p. 513, pl. 1, fig. 27, pl. 5, fig. 65 (Cambridge, Mass.).